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INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$88	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$300	\$ 0
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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office action mailed September 16, 2004,  
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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
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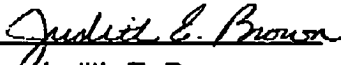
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